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- Hemstitching Embroidery Silk—12 bright colors; 5 skeins for..... 2c
- Blue Steel-pointed Hairpins, per pair..... 1c
- Gold-eyed Needles; every size; per pair..... 1c
- 2 Aluminum Thimbles..... 1c
- Children's Hose Supporters, any size, in black only, per pair..... 5c
- Horn Strips, 10c kind; either blonde or black; 7, 8, and 9 inch..... 5c
- Safety Spring Hooks and Eyes—12 dozen for..... 4c
- Celluloid Side, Pompadour, Empire, and Neck Combs..... 15c
- Mohair Bone Casing, in all colors, piece..... 19c
- Good, clear Pearl Shirt Buttons, per gross..... 42c
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Some Very Strong Lining Values.

- A full and complete line of 26-inch Moire Percales, in black and colors..... 74c
- 26-inch Black and Brocaded Moire Skirt Lining, in fast black only, a yard..... 9c
- 26 grade of All-India Heavy Canvas, in black, white, grey, and tan, per yard..... 14c
- 26 pieces of 26-inch silk-finished Percale—guaranteed fast black—this quality is worth 25c a yard..... 14c
- Our entire line of Mercerized Italian cloth, in black and colors—this quality usually sells at 25c a yard..... 29c
- Genuine Imported 22-inch French Shrink Haircloth—25c quality..... 29c

- A full range of colors in 24-inch satin serge—one of the best things you can possibly buy for skirts, a yard..... 45c

Lining Department—First floor—Section G.

Trimmings Are in Their Glory.

- White Silk Fringe—1 knot and 3 inches wide, worth 75c a yard. Special at..... 59c
- New and pretty designs in Colored Appliqued Trimmings—very good 48c quality. Special, per yard..... 25c
- Jet Garnitures, in chain loop effect, worth 50c. Special..... 35c
- 1 lot of Colored Bands, in mohair and merized cotton—1 to 1 1/2 inches wide; worth 10 to 12 1/2c a yard. Special at..... 6c

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Don't Mind the Buzzard. Write or phone the National Capital Brewing Co. for case of "Diamond" or "Honeydew" Beer and be happy.

READY TO DELIBERATE

Daughters of the American Revolution to Convene Tonight.

Nearly All of the Delegates Have Arrived—State Organizations Hold Conferences—The Plan to Erect a Hall Near the Corcoran Art Gallery to Be Energetically Advocated.

The Arlington, Ebbitt, and Riggs hotels are rapidly filling up with delegates, members, and friends of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, whose Ninth Continental Congress will be held in this city at the Grand Opera House during the present week. This Congress promises to be one of the most successful of the society.

The Continental Hall matter which is now pending before a Congressional committee, will be discussed in all its phases. There are \$60,000 in the treasury of the organization now that is available for the preliminary work of the hall which, it is expected, will be erected near the new Corcoran Art Gallery. The hall is to cost about \$200,000, and the various chapters are making strenuous efforts to contribute to the general fund for this purpose.

The delegates to the congress presented their credentials this morning at the headquarters of the National Society, 902 F Street northwest.

The following are the names of the various State delegates: Mrs. J. Morgan Smith, Alabama; Mrs. Helen M. Norton, Arkansas; Mrs. John F. Swift, California; Mrs. W. F. Shum, Colorado; Mrs. Sarah T. Kenney, Connecticut; Mrs. E. C. Churchman, Delaware; Mrs. Charles H. Alden, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. John G. Christopher, Florida; Mrs. Robert E. New York; Mrs. William A. Talcott, Illinois; Mrs. E. C. Atkins, Indiana; Mrs. Walter A. Dugan, Indian Territory; Mrs. Charles E. Armstrong, Iowa; Mrs. K. G. Lewis, Kansas; Miss Lucretia Hart Clay, Kentucky; Mrs. Benjamin F. Story, Louisiana; Mrs. Wallace H. White, Maine; Mrs. J. Pembroke Thom, Maryland; Miss Sara W. Daggett, Massachusetts; Mrs. William Fitzhugh Edwards, Michigan; Mrs. Eli Torrance, Minnesota; Mrs. William H. Sims, Mississippi; Mrs. George H. Shields, Missouri; Mrs. David C. Browne, Montana; Mrs. George C. Fowle, Nebraska; Mrs. Josiah Carpenter, New Hampshire; Mrs. E. Ellen Batchelder, New Jersey; Mrs. L. Bradford Prince, New Mexico; Mrs. James Mel Belden, New York; Mrs. Edward D. Latta, North Carolina; Mrs. C. A. Lounsbury, North Dakota; Mrs. Moses M. Granger, Ohio; Mrs. Cassius M. Barnes, Oklahoma; Mrs. L. W. Card, Oregon; Mrs. Thomas M. Pennsylvania; Mrs. George M. Thornton, Rhode Island; Mrs. Clark Waring, South Carolina; Mrs. Andrew J. Kellar, South Dakota; Mrs. Margaret C. Piche, Tennessee; Mrs. Sidney J. Fontaine, Texas; Mrs. Clarence E. Allen, Utah; Mrs. Jesse Burdette, Vermont; Mrs. Hugh Nelson Page, Virginia; Mrs. Chaucer W. Griggs, Washington; Mrs. James S. Peck, Wisconsin; Mrs. Francis E. Warren, Wyoming.

The New York delegation will hold a conference this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Arlington Hotel, to discuss such matters as will be brought up for disposition at the Congress. They will again meet tomorrow afternoon at the same time for the nomination and election of officers for the ensuing year.

The session of the Congress will open tonight at 8 o'clock, when the President of the Arlington Hotel, Daniel Manning, will call the delegates to order. Mrs. Manning will be followed by the Chaplain General, who will offer prayer. After this the Marine Band will play some of its choicest selections, which will be followed by an address of welcome by the President General of the society, to which Mrs. Manning will respond. The State regents will then offer their reports, which will be printed, but will not be read at the congress.

The local chapters of the organization will serve luncheon every afternoon at Willard Hall.

Reports of the following committees will be offered during the session: the Executive committee, Mrs. Daniel Manning, chairman ex officio; finance committee, Mrs. George M. Sternberg, chairman; auditing committee, Mrs. N. D. Sperry, chairman; printing committee, Mrs. Robert S. Thatcher, chairman; committee on Continental Hall, Mrs. Daniel Manning, chairman; committee on prison ships, Mrs. Elroy M. Avery, chairman; committee on

VERY FEW PEOPLE

Are Free From Some Form of Indigestion.

Very few people are free from some form of indigestion, but scarcely two will have the same symptoms. Some suffer most directly after eating, bloating from gas in stomach and bowels; others have heart burns or sour risings; still others have palpitation of heart, headache, sleeplessness, pains in chest and under shoulder blades; some have extreme nervousness, as in nervous dyspepsia.

But whatever the symptoms may be, the cause in all cases of indigestion is the same; that is, the stomach for some reason fails to properly and promptly digest what is eaten.

This is the whole story of stomach troubles in a nutshell. The stomach must have rest and assistance, and Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets give it both by supplying the natural digestive juices which every weak stomach lacks, owing to the failure of the people glands in the stomach to secrete sufficient acid and pepsin to thoroughly digest and assimilate the food eaten.

One grain of the active principle in Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest 3,000 grains of meat, eggs, or other wholesome food, and this claim has been proved by actual experiment, which anyone can perform for himself in the following manner: Cut hard-boiled egg into very small pieces, as it would be if made into the egg and two or three of the tablets in a bottle or jar containing warm water heated to 98 degrees (the temperature of the body) and keep it at this temperature for three and one-half hours, at the end of which time the egg will be as completely digested as it would have been in the healthy stomach of a hungry boy.

The point of this experiment is that what Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will do to the egg in the bottle it will do to the egg or meat in the stomach, and nothing else will rest and invigorate the stomach so safely and effectually. Even a little child can take Stuart's Tablets with safety and benefit if its digestion is weak as the thousands of cured persons testified by their regular daily use are easily explained when it is understood that they are composed of vegetable essences, aspeptic, pepsin, dactylin, and Golden Seal, which mingle with the food and digest it thoroughly, giving the overworked stomach a chance to recuperate.

Dieting never cures dyspepsia, neither do pills and cathartic medicines, which simply irritate and inflame the intestines. When enough food is eaten and promptly digested there will be no constipation, nor in fact will there be disease of any kind, because good digestion means good health in every organ.

The merit and success of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are world-wide, and they are sold at the moderate price of 50 cents for full-sized package in every drug store in the United States and Canada, as well as in Europe.

For the information of those interested a little book will be mailed free by addressing F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich., giving briefly the symptoms of the various forms of stomach weakness, cause, and cure.

MUNYON'S ADVICE.



I want every person suffering with rheumatism to try my RHEUMATISM CURE. I want them to try it today. I want their verdict tomorrow.

Those who are suffering with a cold I ask to step into the nearest drug store and get a vial of my COLD CURE. If you are not perfectly satisfied with the result I will refund the money.

Every one afflicted with dyspepsia, indigestion, or any stomach trouble, I most earnestly ask to try my DYSPEPSIA CURE. It will be the best investment you ever made. It costs but 25 cents and will give almost immediate relief.

If I could hand you the thousands of testimonials from persons who have been cured of kidney diseases by my KIDNEY CURE, you would not delay in purchasing this almost infallible remedy. A 25-cent vial has saved many a precious life.

Why not get my "Guide to Health" from your druggist today? It will tell you all about Munyon's Remedies. Not a Lie in It. From the first to the last page it tells how the mother can take care of the little ones as well as the big ones. Remember, there is a separate cure for each disease; so labeled and with such plain directions that there can be no mistake—MUNYON.

MUNYON'S DOCTORS ARE FREE.

If you are in doubt as to your disease, and think you need the advice of a skilled specialist, call upon Munyon's Doctors—all men of the highest attainments, experience, and skill. They make no mistake in examinations and give advice absolutely free. No fee is charged or expected; no money will be received. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 6 p. m., 93 weeks days; 2 to 5 p. m. on Sundays.

No. 623 THIRTEENTH ST. N. W.

LONGEVITY OF THE JEWS.

Why They Overcome Their Apparently Unfavorable Surroundings.

(From the Family Doctor.)

From time immemorial physical vigor has been considered a sine qua non to longevity. The races that distinguished themselves in the history of the world for their aggressiveness, their physical prowess and valor have in the main been people of the Jewish race. The Greeks of old were as assiduous in their devotion to their sports and games as the Englishman of today is to his national pastimes of cricket and racing, or the German to his fencing. The Teuton of the nineteenth century in physical development surpasses all other races and rules the world. He is not only a strong and active man, but he is a long-lived man. He works with his hands, with his body, with his legs, and with his brain; in fact, he works altogether. He is not one to sit at a desk, and let his physical make-up to aid in developing another portion. In his normal condition he is a country dweller and despises the city.

THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Work to Be Done at Their Thirty-fifth Annual Convention.

The thirty-fifth annual convention of the Grand Lodge of the Knights of Pythias of the District of Columbia will begin tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the Scottish Rite Hall in G Street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets northwest. The meeting will be called to order by Grand Chancellor Frank H. Hosford.

Five representatives from each of the eighteen lodges in the District are expected to be present. The most important measure which will be brought up for consideration during the session will be a plan for providing next week, most of the members of a new Pythian Temple. The committee appointed to look into this matter will, it is understood, make a full report of its work during the past two years.

The consideration of the report will occupy the major portion of the time of the convention, which is expected to last four days.

The officers of the organization are: Grand chancellor, Frank H. Hosford; grand vice chancellor, Frank B. Brown; grand keeper of the records and seal, H. J. Gasson; grand master of the lodge, John Humphrey; and grand prelate, A. E. Glascock.

A COURT RECESS.

The Hearing of Criminal Cases Postponed for a Week.

Criminal Court No. 1 today took a recess for a week. The case of William Marshall, charged with embezzlement, had been set for trial today, but on account of the illness of one of the most important witnesses for the Government the hearing was postponed.

The Frank Wamann false pretense case was expected to come up for hearing tomorrow, but it was found necessary to postpone it for a week. The case is in Philadelphia.

It was stated today that Justice Claiborne will on Friday hear argument on the motion for a new trial in the case of Benjamin H. Snell, convicted of the murder of Lizzie Weisenberger. In the event that the motion is overruled it is thought probable that the prisoner will be sentenced to Friday.

The consideration of the bill of exceptions, for appeal, in the case of Frank W. Funk, convicted of the murder of William H. Brooks, was postponed until tomorrow.

The Annual Army Register.

The annual Army Register for 1900 was issued by the War Department today. It contains a complete list of the officers of the regular Army, their ranks and assignments, also a list of the military departments, with the officers commanding them, and much other valuable information. The brief commissions, which were distributed last week, are restored, while the list of general and staff officers of volunteers included in last year's Register, is omitted, as the Department will shortly issue a Register devoted to the volunteer forces.

Gas Explosion in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—A manhole cover, weighing over 100 pounds, was thrown thirty feet in the air by an explosion of gas in front of the First National Bank Building early this morning. A cab had just driven over the spot where the explosion occurred and barely escaped destruction. Captain Maher was badly frightened. A cable train narrowly missed being struck by the falling cover.

Charged With Housebreaking.

Charles Hebert, colored, was arraigned for a preliminary hearing before Judge Kimball today. He was charged with housebreaking at night, and held in \$500 bond for the action of the grand jury. He was accused of attempting to steal a keg of beer from Patrick Collins' cellar.

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Economy of Great Proportions A Certainty Here.

Our expectations run high for the calendar week. Considered slow by most merchants and treated in such a view. We'll try good incentives to stir things a bit. Solid economy attractions that force you to brave the weather in the interest of your own home and finances. The very articles of use that add materially in comfort and luxury and all for the least of outlays. Needn't disturb the pocketbook in the least. Make use of our credit offer and settle for your bill in fractional amounts. That's satisfactory to us—surely to you when you can fix the payments. Here follows a grab from a thousand:

Our come forward with a humming fine PARLOR SUITE offer. Five fine, richly made pieces, in mahogany finish, skillfully carved and upholstered in best silk tapestry. Cash or credit..... \$26.75

A large, substantially made five-piece PARLOR SUITE in mahogany finished frames—a corner. Cash or credit..... \$17.75

Our surpassing effort in BEDROOM SUITE values. Golden oak, finest selected wood, large and roomy—four-drawer dressing case, with large level plate mirror—handsomely carved bedstead and washstand. Every piece prettily finished. Cash or credit..... \$22.75

An actually fine BEDROOM SUITE, golden oak finish, three pieces in the set, pretty dressing case, bedstead, and washstand. Cash or credit..... \$12.75

Floor Coverings.

A matchless line—select patterns—dependable qualities, and plenty of room to display. All carpets, etc., MADE, LAID, and LINED FREE.

Good, Fancy Matting.....	12c
Large Fringed Rug.....	15c
Good Quality Ingrain Carpet.....	25c
Heavy Brussels Carpet.....	35c
Fine Velvet Carpet.....	85c

A SIDEBOARD bargain that deserves prominence. Large, roomy, finely carved golden oak, highly finished; swelled front, a beautiful mirror. French plate mirror. Cash or credit..... \$15.75

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HOUSEKEEPING IN CUBA.

Extortionate Prices Charged by the American Traders.

(From the New York Times.)

Keeping house in Cuba is far from being an easy matter. In the United States, where one or in a large city one may buy anything one wishes in the central market or in small neighboring ones. Not long ago we dined here with some friends, and our hostess remarked that the came very near telegraphing us not to come, as it was absolutely impossible to find anything in the market, meats or vegetables.

It is expensive to live here, but for those who are privileged to buy provisions from the commissary the expense is lightened. That privilege is granted to the army and to civilian employees of the Government. Everything is scaled tightly, so that there is no trouble in keeping it in this climate. Many things can only be bought in large quantities—cheese, for instance, which comes in nine-pound cakes, and soda and graham crackers, in ten-pound cans.

Americans complain of being cheated by Cuban dealers, and it is true that in many stores Americans are asked a much higher price than the natives for the same article. However, persons who have been here for some time say that American dealers who have come here are far more exorbitant than the Cubans, and I observed this for myself a short time ago. I bought some Holland cheese at an American grocery, paying 40 cents a pound for it. The next day I bought the same kind of cheese of a Cuban on the next corner for 10 cents less on the pound, and I also found most other articles less expensive there.

It is necessary to have several servants to do the work that one would do in the United States. The tiled floors need scrubbing very often; in many houses it is done every day. This is offset in a measure by the absence of windows to be washed, although in the better houses there are a few panes of glass in every window. Besides the tiled floors of the room, there is the floor of the porch, without which no house in Cuba is complete, even the rudest houses having porches of some description, and they often extend half way around the house.

One feels very safe from fire in these houses, for with the exception of the doors, doorsteps, etc., there is no inflammable material about them. However, there are fire alarm stations at every turn, and an organized fire department. I am told that it is a volunteer organization, and that when there is an alarm the firemen, all of whom are society men, hurry home from party, dinner, business, or wherever they may be, and after donning their civilian clothing and donning that of the department, drive to the scene of action. Last year there was a big fire in a lumber yard, when this plan was carried out, and before the ashes were cold the firemen were enjoying an "after-the-fire" supper in a neighboring cafe.

An American seamstress has just arrived here. According to her own statement she is going to work for the same pay as the Cubans. If so, then she is one of the few who have not come to make money, for the Cuban seamstress receives very little. She works from 7 o'clock in the morning until 7 o'clock in the evening for 75 cents Spanish, equivalent in our money to about 50 cents. Besides this she receives a cantina for her meals. This amounts to between \$2 and \$3 a week.

The Vaughn Class Banquet.

The tenth annual banquet of the Vaughn Class of the Calvary Baptist Sunday school will take place on the evening of March 2, at the Sunday school house at Eighth and H streets northwest.

Fined for Assault.

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